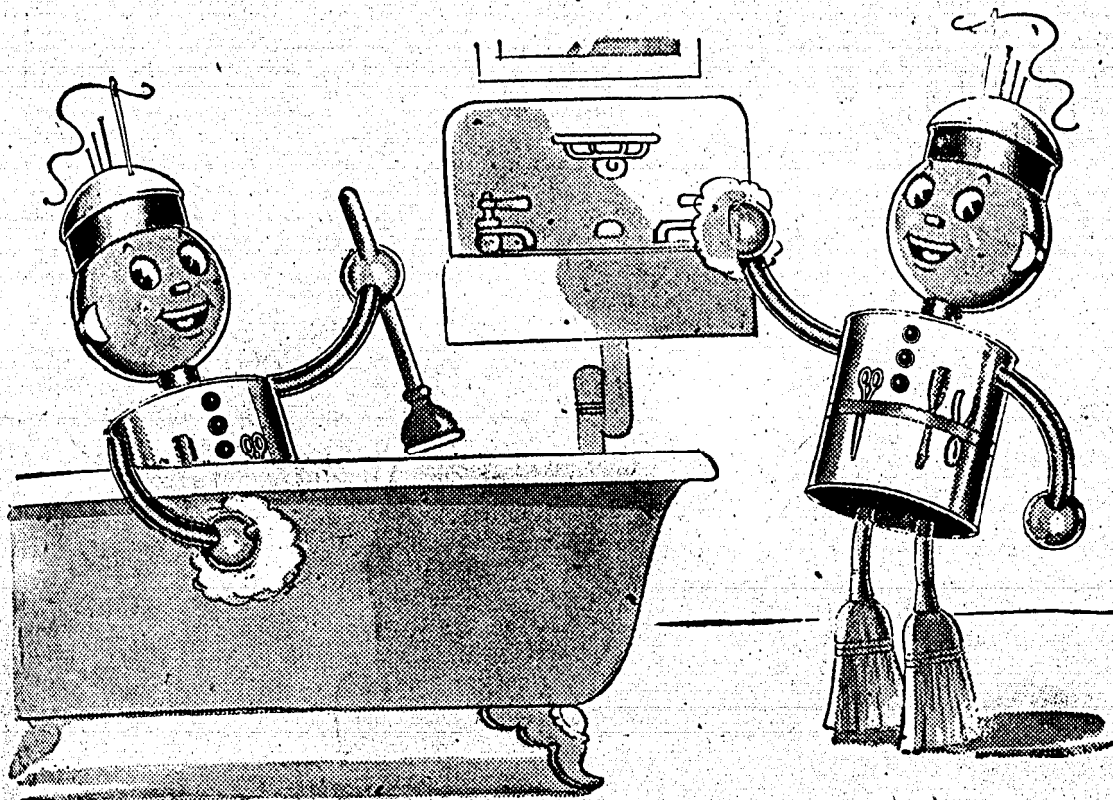
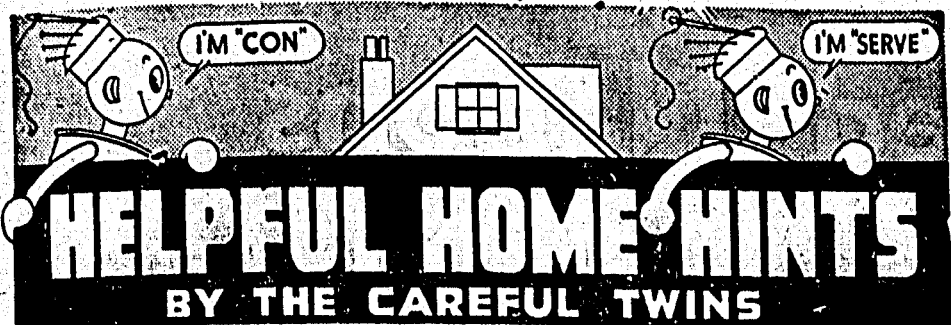


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BATHROOM CARE

Now that plumbing supplies are scarce and plumbing service at a premium, it is especially important that householders take extra good care of their bathroom equipment. Con and Serve, the careful twins, present some timely tips on bathroom care and cleanliness.

BATHTUBS ARE EASILY KEPT CLEAN: Never fail to wash the tub immediately after bath, with warm soapy water. To remove the film that forms on the sides of the tub, use a mild commercial grease emulsifier. Never use gritty cleaning powders, as these do not completely dissolve and in time form a thick coating inside the drain pipes, catching lint from cloths and causing serious clogs. Stains caused by dripping faucets are difficult to remove. Consult your plumber or druggist for an acid preparation, and follow directions carefully. Dry the tub and fixtures thoroughly after every bath. For set-in tubs, watch for cracks that may appear next the walls. These are easily repaired with tile cement.

BASINS: Always wash basins with soapy warm water and dry after using. Scum, rings and stains are removed instantly if a mild emulsifying cleanser is used. Avoid one containing caustic, fat, acid or grit. These are harmful to the enamel finish. A small rubber plunger is excellent if used once a week to loosen bits of lint, hair or particles of grease that may be clinging to the inside of the drain pipes and trap. This, followed by a small amount of drain cleaner, used according to instructions on the can, will keep the drains clear. Don't drop hair pins in the drain pipe.

TOILETS: Newspapers, rags and garbage will clog drains, and should never be put down toilets. To keep the bowl clean, use soap, water and a long-handled brush daily. If stained, apply a commercial cleaning preparation. To avoid scratching the enamel, choose a cleanser that is free from grit.

TILES: Dissolve a mild household cleanser in tepid water and wash the tiles frequently, at least once a week, before a thick, greasy film gathers to collect dust and make them dull. Wipe with a clean, dry cloth and polish lightly. Soft paper towels are excellent for this polishing.

REMOVING IRON RUST STAINS: Rust stains on metal bathroom fixtures can be removed sometimes by rubbing with a cut lemon. A weak solution (five per cent) of oxalic acid (poison), applied with paper towelling and rinsed off thoroughly after a few seconds, will remove more stubborn stains. If the acid is left on the sur-

face too long, the finish will be weakened or even removed.

CLEANING METAL FIXTURES (Faucets, towel bars, etc.): Wash chromium with a cloth or sponge wrung out of soapy water. Polish dry with a clean cloth. Nickel should also be washed with soapy water. Apply fine scouring powder or metal polish. Let dry. Polish with a soft cloth. Corrosion may be removed with vinegar or lemon juice.

CARE OF SHOWER STALLS: The base of the stall should be thoroughly cleaned, with special attention to any crevice which may collect dust or soap suds. This is especially important in hot humid weather. Unsightly cracks where the tub or shower joins the wall occur frequently. In the interest of sanitation and beauty these cracks should be filled with a material especially adapted for this purpose, or covered with metal mouldings.

CARE OF SHOWER CURTAINS: Leave the curtains fully stretched out to dry after each use. This is important all the year round, but especially in summer when mildew is apt to ruin fabrics if precautions are not taken. If the curtain is OILED SILK, sponge off after each use and spread flat to dry. This is a coated fabric and any slat that clings to it is surface oil only. Work on a flat surface and do not crumple the fabric. Mild soap suds may be used on especially soiled spots. Rinse off and hang on shower curtain hooks to dry. Press with lukewarm iron. If the curtain is made of DUOCK, sponge off soap with clear water after each use. This fabric, when soiled, launders and irons beautifully. WATER - REPELLENT SILK, RAYON or NOVELTY WEAVE COTTON should be sponged off with clear water after each use, and spread out to dry. Shower curtains treated in this way may be washed in mild lukewarm suds, rinsed in clear lukewarm water, and pressed with a warm (not hot) iron while still damp. Do not squeeze, rub or wring.

CARE OF HAMPER: A hamper for soiled clothing is often kept in the bathroom, but wherever it is kept it should be washed thoroughly several times a year. Use mild soap and water and a soft brush if necessary. Rinse thoroughly. Dry. Leave in the sun for several hours if possible.

Improvement of Highways Part of Post-War Plan

Interior Roads to be Repaired, Modernized Says W. A. C. Bennett

KELOWNA, B.C., Aug. 18.—Approximately nine and one-half miles of resurfacing will be done on the Okanagan Highway north to Winfield during the year, according to figures released by the Provincial Department of Public Works through W. A. C. Bennett, M.A.

Six-tenths of a mile through Winfield will be resurfaced, and over two miles from Postville to the overhead railway crossing will also be done over.

Resurfacing of the highway from the Rutland road junction to the north boundary of Kelowna will also be completed, and two miles north and south of Peachland will be treated.

Would Oil Road Near Westbank. The provincial member stressed that, he was continuing to press for a relocation of the cliff road north of Trepanier and that survey of an inside route is completed. Mr. Bennett stated that he was urging completion of this new stretch by next spring. He is also urging that the highway immediately south of Westbank be oil coated.

Small hope that the Naramata road would be completed immediately after the war was held out by the speaker. He pointed out that the first step in the joint federal-provincial post-war construction project was improvement of existing highways. The only exception would be the Hope-Princeton highway, which was classed as an existing highway and would be completed immediately after the war.

Completion of the second trans-provincial route would enable the Government to close parts of the Fraser Canyon road for improvements and traffic would be routed over the southern highway.

Following the war, one of the first jobs would be development of the existing Okanagan highway north from the border to Westbank and thence through Kelowna to Vernon and on north, Mr. Bennett stated.

He stressed that the city should press for improved ferry service to be instituted as soon as conditions warrant, and assured his listeners that a two-ferry shuttle schedule would be necessary, giving day and night service.

Not until the improved ferry service was incapable of carrying the traffic could Kelowna residents expect construction of the Naramata road, said Mr. Bennett, who pointed out that the building of that road would inevitably lead to a new highway north from Westbank to Vernon along the west side of the lake.

Both these roads would come in future years, but first must be expansion of existing roads, and a 24-hour shuttle ferry service could handle a tremendous volume of traffic with larger ferries in operation.

A further highway that should be worked for is the Grand Forks-Carroll road north to Kelowna, said Mr. Bennett, who urged that the Board of Trade press for this development which would mean much to the city. With the exception of the Hope-Princeton road, all highways will be asphalt. On the Hope-Princeton route a concrete road will be built, as this is recommended by engineers for a mountain road of this type.

Peachland Urges Emergency Fuel

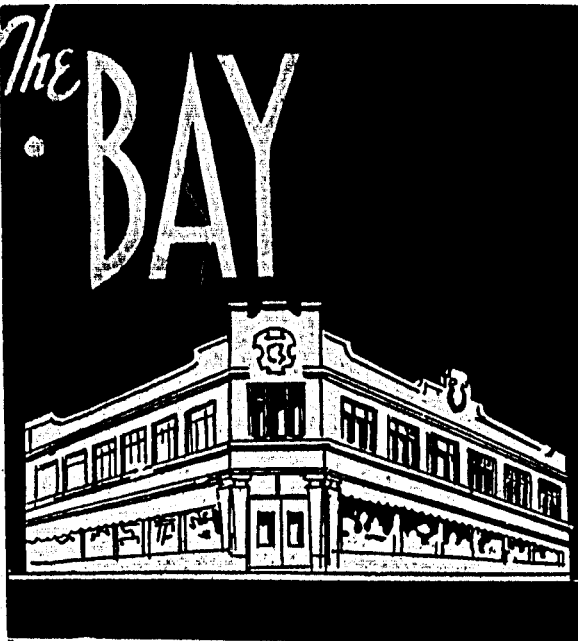
Municipality Would Have Pool on Which to Draw if Necessary

PEACHLAND, B.C., Aug. 17.—At the council meeting held last Wednesday evening in the Municipal Hall, N. Whit met the council to discuss the question of having power to run an electric welding outfit. It was decided to move a transformer, and the installation of the welding outfit, allow him to use power at a charge set by the council.

Reeve Mrs. B. F. Gummow again put the enquiry about winter fuel, and although there are many good piles, also loads of logs around the town, it was the general consensus of opinion that much more would be needed. An offer was made by A. MacDonald to cut wood, and it was decided that it was possible for trucks to haul it from the bush, the council thought it should be accepted.

Cattle Run Young Trees Councilor J. H. Wilson, thought it was time to open Silver Lake, so there would be no shortage of water to run the power house, if it was necessary to have lights all day for the town. The packing house, Cattle running house in Trepanier have been doing much damage to young peach trees and gardens. The poundkeeper will be notified. Councilor W. B. Sanderson stated the work on the piece of road situated on the piece of the records of this Unit. His help and instruction was greatly appreciated by Sgt. G. Watt, Coy. Q.M.

Mrs. A. Smalls, convenor of the Red Cross workroom committee reported a shipment containing 758 articles, was packed August 11. Included were: 4 turtle neck sweaters, 17 sleeveless sweaters, 80 pairs socks, 1 pair indies boy's sweater, 1 boy's 3-piece suit, 5 indies alpine, 1 large quilt, 2 crib quilts, 12 bath towels, 120 surgical towels, 40 triangular bandages, 12 Air Force handkerchiefs, 12 black handkerchiefs, 3 hospital bed jackets, 6 boys' coats and 5 women's coats for Greenham relief.



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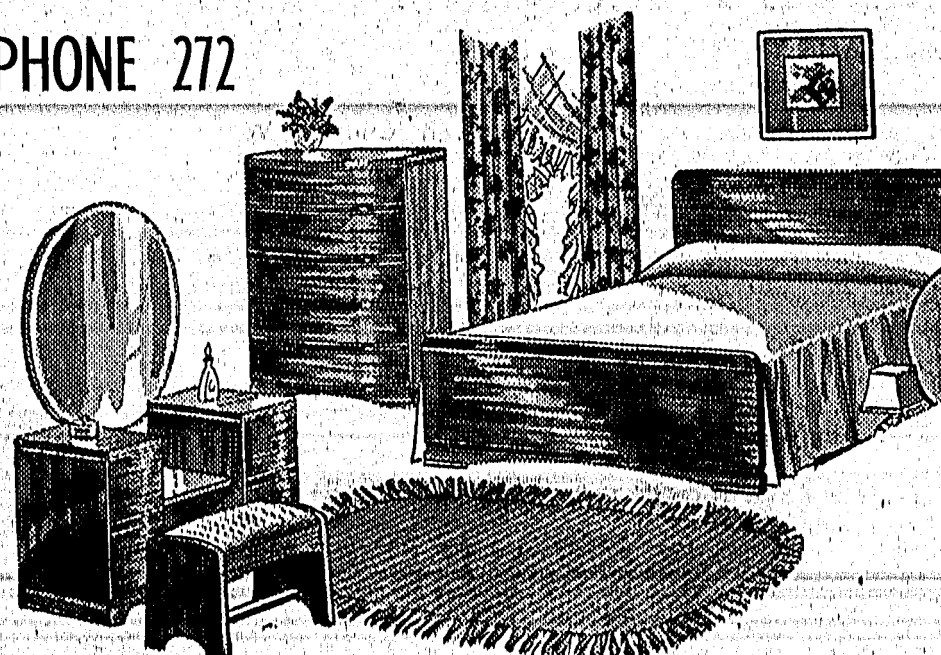
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In his historic address last year, Winston Churchill used these words: "It is important that WE SHOULD NOT OVERLOOK THE ENORMOUS CONTRIBUTION OF CHINA to this struggle for world freedom. When we feel the sharp military qualities of Japanese soldiers in contact with our own troops, we must remember that China, ill armed and half-armed, has single-handed, withstood under her glorious leader, General Kai-Shek, the main fury of Japan."

"There is no question of regarding the war in the Pacific as a secondary operation . . . We shall pursue the struggle hand in hand with China and do everything in our power to give them arms and supplies."

Lend-Lease has provided arms and supplies for China . . . soldiers of United Nations are fighting on China's battlefronts. We share in these efforts as taxpayers. But we can, and must, do more as private citizens for our Chinese friends and allies . . . **BY CONTRIBUTING TO RELIEVE THE SUFFERINGS OF THE CIVILIANS OF CHINA.**

That is the purpose of the Chinese War Relief Fund—to provide food for the starving—medicine for the diseased and wounded—hospital beds for the bomb victims—training for war workers—shelter for refugees—and to keep up the morale of our long-suffering ally.

HOW TO MAKE YOUR CONTRIBUTION

- 1 You can bring or mail your contribution to The Royal Bank of Canada, The Canadian Bank of Commerce, The Bank of Montreal, Kwong Hing Lung Co., in Vernon, OR—
- 2 You can mail your donation to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Vernon Chinese War Relief Committee.

The Chinese War Relief Fund has NO CANVASSERS calling personally at homes or businesses. Your contribution is entirely voluntary. The fund is authorized under the War Charities Act. Contributions are deductible for income tax purposes as provided by law. Official receipts will be given.



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City Full of Fun and Jollity for Vernon Days

Many Visitors; Citizens in Colorful
And Amusing Costumes; Crowd at Parade

All roads lead to Vernon!
Yes, sir! Yes, ma'am! As early
as last Monday morning, visitors
were seen in the flag-decked
streets, by 8 a.m. cow-boy hats—
and their owners were abroad, and
two little country boys were nudg-
ing and pointing at the unusual
sight of grown folk masquerading
as citizens of Victoria's gay and
memorable reign. Not that the little
lads knew anything of England's
great queen, but just to see grown
ladies in queer get-ups, trailing
gowns, shawls, poke bonnets, trip-
pling lightly down the street as
they wended their way to work,
(oh, yes, Vernon Days brought no
respite for the worker, but they
managed to squeeze a good time
in nevertheless), brought snickers
and giggles from the boys, who
were having a few days in Vernon
as a treat in between haying and
school.

Colorful shirts and hats, (oh, my
hats!) were worn by all the town's
leading businessmen; not to be out-
done by the sterner sex, the ladies
were equally in Victorian costumes,
long sprigged dresses adorned with
pert little bows and old-fashioned
jewelry; bright blouses and neck-
erchiefs galore were to be seen in
business houses, banks and stores.

The whole town took on a spirit
of carnival and gaiety, and did not
forgetting the stern necessity
of wartime and its ever-increasing
demands on man-power and ma-
terials, at the same time workers
and business executives entered
wholeheartedly into the affair and
for a short time relaxed and en-
joyed the fun.

Young and Old Enjoy the Fun
Visitors from district points were
noticed, little boys tanned from
hays spent out of doors while
they have been helping on the
farms and in the gardens, their
fair hair bleached with the sum-
mer sun, dressed in their Sunday
suits and white collars and bow-
ties. Little girls in starched print
and tulle dresses, their hair
washed and curled, were eagerly
taking in the sights, and enjoying
ice-cream cones with much gusto.

Pet Parade Delights Crowd
Long before the appointed time,
6:15 a.m., onlookers gathered at
the railway station, from where the
pet parade started on Wednesday
evening. The weather was perfect
for the crowd which assembled, the
heat of the previous days had been
tempered by clouds during the at-
ternoon, which allowed the sun
the setting sun to shine brightly
on the gay entourage. Headed by
the bugle band of A Squadron, 9th
(R) Armored Regiment, B.C. Dra-
goons, the procession marched west
on Barnard Avenue, through
Whitcomb Street and thence to the Civic
Arena where the judging took place.

The crowd were loud in their
appreciation of some particularly
picturesque or unusual entry, and
when the spectators dispersed the
streets were thronged with both
pedestrians and vehicles.

Judges Find It Hard to Decide
Mrs. C. D. Johnston, Mrs. W. S.
Harris and R. W. Ley acted as
judges, and a difficult time they
had in deciding which of the en-
tries deserved the prizes. All en-
tries evinced much trouble,
thought and time expended by the
young competitors, not to mention
the mothers, who, although actu-
ally in the background, to be in-
vited were much to the fore in
the results achieved. Many stitches
had been put into the costumes,
to say nothing of hair-washing and
general fixations that demure and
charming master and mistress might
be the "grandest" in the parade.

Truly no "Easter parade" was of
this moment to its adult partici-
pants, than the Kinsmen Pet
Parade to its youthful competitors
on 1943 Vernon Days.

The children had done their
part too. There were the hams,
tractable and easy to manage, rid-
ing in dolls' perambulators and in
the baskets of bicycles; there was
the Tyrolean maiden with her
mountain goat; a runner-up being
the shepherdess with a sheep, the
latter not going to be left out in
the cold—not a bit of it! as fre-
quent "baas" were heard, drawing
much laughter from the crowd.

There was "Teddy on the back of
a dog," which incidentally always love
bands and seemed quite at home
in the parade, the cats, the chicks,
and last, but not least the ponies,
Carnival and Dance.

After it was all over, the kiddies
and their parents set out to enjoy
themselves. The carnival was en-
joyed by hundreds until the strains
of the band lured them and many
others to trip the light fantastic in
the Civic Arena. And in the pen-
ence, and stillness of a moonlit
summer night, every one agreed
that the first of Vernon Days had
been "just perfect" or, in the ver-
nacular of the very young, "swell".

The fun will go on faster and
more furious today, Thursday. The
aggregations which will determine
the aggregate winners of the stan-
pede will be run off this afternoon,
commencing at 1 o'clock; there
will be the monster main parade,
one of the events of the two-day
show, the evening, commencing
at 6:30 p.m. from the railway sta-
tion; the carnival will be the
fascinating and more crowded than
over; the Okanagan mayors and
reeves will try their hand at milk-
ing; and the winner will decide the
fate of the charming little bung-
low, which every ticket holder in
certain will be theirs. A dance will
conclude the fifth Kinsmen's Ver-
non Days. A big crowd is expected;
and even when this story is being
told, it is what might be termed
the evening high, the climax, and
so help their big project,
Milk-for-Britain.

You'll regret it if you don't.

Soldier's Wife Dies Suddenly At Salmon Arm

SALMON ARM, B.C., Aug. 17.—
Funeral services for Mrs. J. Nord-
quist were held from the First
United Church, Salmon Arm, Rev.
F. R. G. Redge officiating, on
Sunday afternoon, August 14.
In poor health for several years,
Mrs. Nordquist was found in an
unconscious condition outside her
home on Homely Road last Fri-
day morning. Medical aid was
summoned but she passed quietly
away a short time later.
She is survived by her husband
who is serving with No. 7 Com-
pany, Canadian Forestry Corps,
Overseas.

Vancouver Nurses at Winfield Ranch

WINFIELD, B.C., Aug. 17.—Miss
Tait, R.N., and Miss Rand, R.N.,
also Miss Browne, all of Van-
couver, are visiting at Clairmont
Ranch at present.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Reisinger have
as their guest, the latter's daughter,
Miss V. Moser, who has been at-
tending college at Walla Walla,
Washington.

Mrs. John Edmunds, who has
been visiting in Saskatchewan for
the past three months at the
homes of her sons, Watt and Wil-
liam, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Elliott are ar-
riving home this week from a trip
to Vancouver. They will bring
with them the bus which will be
used to transport pupils to Oyama
High School this fall.

Mrs. Stan Edwards will arrive
home this week from the Kelowna
area, where she was employed as
underwent an operation from which
she is making a very successful
recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. V. McDonagh had
as guests over the week end,
Misses Edith and Amy Morhouse,
of Mara.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arnold have as
guests their son and daughter-in-
law, Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold
of Vancouver.

Miss L. Davidson of Vancouver,
returned home last week after a
holiday at Clairmont Ranch.

Alexander C. Grant Passes Away in City

Resident in District
For 22 Years; Brother
Public Works Foreman

Yesterday, Wednesday, the fun-
eral of Alexander C. Grant, of
Goldstream, was held from the Uni-
fied Church in Vernon.

A resident of this district for
the past 22 years, Mr. Grant was
born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland,
and came to Canada 38 years ago,
of which 35 years were spent in
B.C. During his entire 22 years
in this district he was employed
on the Marven Ranch owned by
Col. W. McGee Armstrong, in the
Goldstream district. He passed away
at his home on Sunday, August 15.

During his wife's illness, he
acted as her nurse, and was in
charge of her care. He was a
member of the Public Works in
this city.

Interment took place in the Odd-
fellows' plot in the Vernon ceme-
tery. Winter and Winter were in
charge of funeral arrangements.

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Adjustments

(Continued from Page One)

C. Stanley Miller made this sur-
vey in July, bringing rents in-
line. Since December 10, 1942, all
new rentals made require a fixa-
tion by the rentals committee,
when all agreements, whether ver-
bal or in writing, entered into be-
tween landlord and tenant come
before the Judge.

The above are just some of the
problems which confront the ren-
tals committee, comprised of Judge
Archibald, when he comes to Ver-
non each month on this business
only. These visits are separate and
distinct from the regular County
Court circuit, of which he also is
the presiding Judge. Over 40
of the cases were revised, which
is to say the Judge decided whether
the changes proposed were fair to
both parties, the tenant and the
landlord.

After October 1, a change in ex-
isting arrangements will be made,
and it is expected that a rental
appraiser will adjust any changes
for the V.P.B. The reason for the
apparently large number of
cases heard on August 5, should
not be misconstrued that in all
instances the tenant was being
unfairly dealt with; but all new
rentals have to be fixed by the
committee. The next such hearing
will be on or around September
15 next.

A well known hair expert warns
that fever victims that pollen fre-
quently collects in the hair. On
the days you are exposed to those
nooses wear a turban and brush
your hair thoroughly as soon as
you get home. The pollen may
linger indefinitely if the hair is
not brushed.

Prizes Won in Pet Parade

Judges in the Pet Parade, and "Miss United Nations" con-
test were Mrs. W. S. Harris, Mrs. C. D. Johnston and R. W. Ley.
Prizes were awarded as follows:

Most Original Pet: First, Mary Barrow; second, Ellean Empey,
Decorated Pet: First, Teddy Dundan; second, Bona George,
United Nations Costume: First, Doron Masloshuk; second,
Sharon.

Best boy's decorated tricycle: Edna Hunter.
Best girl's decorated tricycle: Isabel Tynack.
Best dressed couple: Ann Smith and Veronica Wovk.
Girl's old-fashioned costume: Lila Davis.
Boy's old-fashioned costume: Norman Loworthy.
Youngest competitor: Donald Blankley.
Best comic entry: Kay Saunders.
Special prize: Barbara Williamson.

Prize-winners are asked to call at the Vernon Garage for
their awards.



R.A.F. Drop 1,350 Tons of Bombs in 45 Minutes on Duisberg

Flying through a high gale (often reaching to 100 m.p.h.) aircraft
of the R.A.F. recently carried out a devastating raid on the im-
portant inland port of Duisberg. The Germans put up a terrific barrage
and searchlights were used in hundreds, but in spite of this the
enemy's defences were unable to cope with the attack, which was
pressed home with outstandingly successful results.

All Color of Old West

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saddle for 10 seconds. Sometimes they dig them too deep and no
sooner hit the saddle than they are taking a nose dive into the sod.

The saddle bronc rides opened Wednesday's show, and was the
biggest event on the program. The boys turned in many fine thrilling
rides that brought yips and yells and loud applause from all around
the corral. The boys leave the chute and have to stick 'em for 10
seconds. Some of the nags do their worst in one spot while others
ride and rear all over the corral.

Even Experienced Riders Have Spills
The bareback bronc riding gets a little tougher. A rope is strap-
ped around the horse's belly which the rider can hold with one
hand. Many of the boys bit the dust after one wild leap of the mount,
from the chute, and many stuck on through the necessary eight
minutes.

Then comes the bareback steer riding. After all steers aren't for
riding, and they just will not ride if they can help it. Finding out
the bull, a big black beggar, owned by George Anderson, added to
the fun of this event as he matched his skill against a volunteer
rider, a soldier named Jack Jackson. Jackson stuck his mount and got
a great big hand from the crowd. By the way, all the steers were
brought in for the stampede by George Anderson.

Climax Reached With Milking
The wild cow milking was the laugh of laughs of the day. The
animals are herded into the centre of the corral. The cowboys are
given a lasso and as soon as the whistle goes they have to catch a
cow, hold her down and put enough milk into a beer bottle to pour.
When that is done they leave all behind them and race over to the
judges' stand—the first there is the winner. The whole centre of the
oval is a confused melee of dust, cows, cowboys, lassos. Those lucky
enough to get to the milking job meet the toughest obstacle, and
if you have never seen a cowboy run, brother you certainly have
missed something.

Then to top off the show the wild horse race was held. Here
again the centre of the oval is so full of excitement and entertain-
ment that it is impossible to grasp everything. But what you do see
is enough to leave you holding your sides. But there is nothing hum-
orous about it in the cowboys' minds. They are out there to get into
the first prize money and there is no fooling around. The horses are
released from the chutes. The cowboys have to lasso them, put on
the saddle and ride 'em back to the ketch pen; first there gets first
money, with second and third prizes.

Many Cash Prizes
Prize winners yesterday were as follows: Saddle broncs; Clark
Jackson of Kamloops, first; Dave Abraham of the Eldorado Ranch,
Kelowna, second; Jimmy Tegar, of Brisco, B.C., third. Bare Back
Broncs day money winners were: William Brewer of Vernon, first;
Jimmy Thomas of Vernon, second, and Pete Louie of Oliver, third.

In the bareback steer riding Jimmy Willis of Carleton Place, Alberta, was
first; Jimmy Thomas of Vernon, second, and Jimmy Tegar of Bris-
co, B.C., third. The wild cow milking champions were Slim Dorin
of Merritt, first; Charlie McMillan of Princeton, second, and Joe
McCallie of Merritt, third. Winners in the wild horse racing event
were Dave Abraham of the Eldorado Ranch, first; Alec Marshall of
Frishton, second, and Harry Shuttleworth of Vernon, third.

The only casualty of the day was to Ernest Oppenheimer of the
Okanagan Reserve. He was packed off the oval after taking a rough
spill in the saddle bronc competitions, but being a big husky chap,
he was back for more in the bareback riding.

To Nick Mellinichuk, and his staff of corral and ketch pen men
goes a hand for putting over the show in top notch style. Dick Black-
burn, of Enderby, was the announcer and kept the crowd in good
humor with some real stampee talk. Len Wood had quite a time
of it at the timers' bench. The anxious crowds were continually get-
ting onto the corral railing and Len, in his joking manner was con-
tinually telling someone to move their carcass.

Other contestants included Simon Bent, of Merritt; Mike Carlin,
of Princeton; Slim Dorin, of Merritt; George Tronson, Ernest Op-
penheimer, Charlie Bessette, Fred Reimer and Riley Brewer, all of
Vernon; Slim Campbell and Blackie Erwin, both of Kamloops; Bill
Louie, Francis Battiste and Pete Louie, of Oliver; George Adloff, of
Coleman, Alta.; Jimmie Willis, of Carleton, Alta.; Eddie Cruger, Pen-
ticton. These were among the saddle bronc contestants. Many of
them entered the Bareback Steer riding, as well as Charlie McNeill
and Simon Bent, of Merritt; Dave Abraham, of Eldorado Ranch;
Johnny Stelka, of Oliver. In the bareback Bronc class, besides many
mentioned above were Henry Alex, Oliver; Frank Jack, Fred Reimer,
Ray Semla and Francis Smith, all of Vernon; Tom Andrews, of
Oliver, and Charlie McMillan, of Princeton.

Vernon Kiddies Lead B.C. In Junior Red Cross Work

This City By-word in Larger Centres
as Having 100% School Membership

Vernon Elementary School has the distinction of mak-
ing a larger donation to Junior Red Cross headquarters
than any other Elementary School in the Province. This
fact was reported to the Vernon Branch of the Red Cross
Executive at its regular monthly meeting, which was held
Friday evening, August 13.

T. R. Bulman reported that when he visited Red Cross Head-
quarters in Vancouver, he was in-
troduced as coming from Vernon,
the centre that had such an out-
standing Junior Red Cross. Ver-
non Elementary School has 100
percent membership in its pupils.

During the year, the children
raised \$1,025.10 and in addition
made a donation to the Senior
Red Cross of \$78. When the Junior
Red Cross work was started in
Vernon, the objective was \$25 per
month. When this was achieved,
the aim was set at \$50 per month.
This was raised last year more than
\$100 per month was accomplished.
Money raised, September to
June, 1943:

Penny Donations \$ 124.40
Profit on Salvage 100.47
Hot Dog Sales 62.24
Market Day (October) 80.55
Auction Sales 22.43
Flower Sales 17.50
Sales of Work 230.00
Profit on Bird Houses 8.75
Sale of Glass Pictures 35.60
Auction and Sale (June) 150.47

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All-Absorbing Topic Dealt With by
City Alderman at Municipal Convention

At the quarterly meeting of the
Okanagan Valley Municipal As-
sociation in Vernon last Thursday,
Alderman C. W. Gaunt-Stevenson,
of this city, addressed the dele-
gates on the subject of the dele-
tion, emphasizing the possibilities
within the valley of a greater ex-
pansion for the few major in-
dustries here, if more visionary
thought is given to this all im-
portant subject.

Alderman Stevenson dealt with
the idea that led up to the in-
vention and development of the
modern aeroplane. The lowly pea-
nut, he pointed out, was taken by
a negro scientist and converted
into over 200 articles for human
consumption and use.

He mentioned wood, that was
first used to build log cabins, then
made into paper, and now into
stockings, fine fabrics, explosives,
and plastics.

Grain, once only used as a
cereal, has found a greater field
when processed into alcohol and
from that state into paint, var-
nishes, cleaning materials, light-
ing, heating and last but not
least the best and cheapest ma-
terial for producing artificial rub-
ber.

In Kelowna, a chemist is now
producing many by-products from
field crops and states that he can
make enough by-products out of
apples to warrant \$15 to \$20 a
ton for windfalls, Alderman Stev-
enson stated.

The alderman mentioned these
facts to show the delegates the
great possibilities for expansion
in this line in the Valley.

"The municipalities under this
association must help to foster a
central provincial research bureau
and also see that the young people
are educated and helped in the
gathering of proper knowledge."

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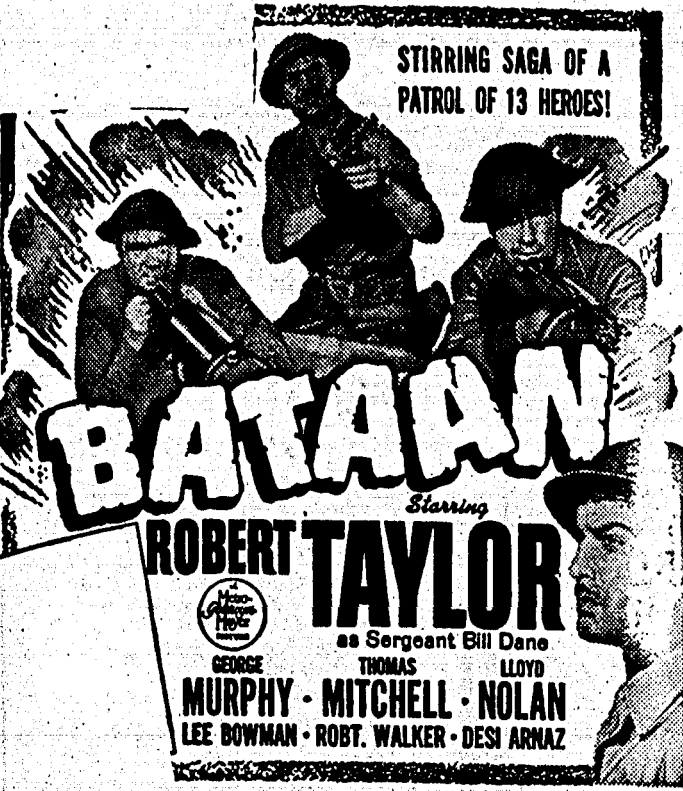
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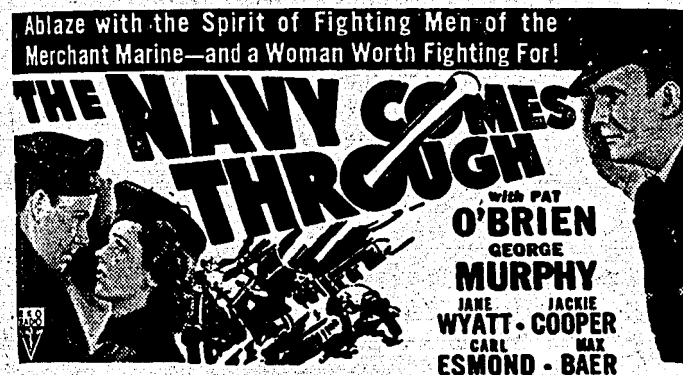
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Town and District

In this city for two days last week, were Mr. and Mrs. A. Drage, of Kamloops.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Block and daughter, Julie, are spending a week at Mara Lake.

Miss Brenda Butler, of Westwood, was a visitor last week end of Mrs. H. B. Taite, Long Lake.

Miss Carol Martin returned on Saturday from Vancouver, where she attended summer school.

Miss Barbara Harris, of Vernon, is visiting in Vancouver and Victoria, for the month of August.

Pte. A. Dupis left on Saturday for Currie Barracks, Calgary, after two weeks' leave spent in Vernon.

Mrs. Charles Pufford, of Vernon, left on Monday evening for Vancouver, where she is visiting friends.

Mrs. J. L. Hopkins, of Armstrong, visited for a few days last week at the home of Mrs. W. Sparkes, of Vernon.

The Kelowna cricket XI will play the Vernon team on Sunday, August 22 on the Lakeview cricket grounds, Vernon.

Miss W. Peard, of Strathcona Lodge, Vancouver Island, is the guest of Mrs. H. B. Taite, Long Lake, for the month of August.

A Vernon Days visitor, guest of Miss Violet Sparkes, is Mrs. H. Speers, of Armstrong, who will remain here until Saturday or Sunday.

Word was received in this city yesterday, Wednesday, that Pte. Bridget Pearce, CWAC, has been posted to Eastern Canada from Vancouver.

Dr. G. W. Whyte, of Vancouver, returned to his home on Saturday, after having spent a week visiting with his brother, Bryson M. Whyte, of this city.

Mrs. Charles Prior and daughter, of Vancouver, arrived in Vernon on Monday to spend 10 days' vacation here, their former place of residence.

Miss Margaret Brown and Miss Muriel Watkins, both of Vancouver, arrived in Vernon on Tuesday for a short visit with Major and Mrs. G. C. Watkins.

Mrs. W. Johnson, of Innisfail, Alberta, arrived in Vernon, Monday, and is spending a vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rivard, of this city.

Miss Allison Layton, daughter of Mrs. A. E. Layton, of Vancouver, is spending a vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kidston, on the Coldstream.

Leaving for her home in Victoria, tomorrow, Friday, is Miss Helen Elliott, who has been the guest for two weeks, of Major and Mrs. G. C. Watkins, of this city.

Mrs. G. P. Janik, and young daughter, left for Brandon, Man., on Monday evening to visit Mrs. Janik's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Fodoruk, for a couple of weeks.

Misses Lynette and Barbara Dave, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dave, BX district, returned last week from Victoria, where they attended summer school.

Mrs. N. Currie and two children, from the Coast, arrived in Vernon on Monday and are spending a month's vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harrison, of this city.

Ned Wington has been transferred to the ticket office of the C.N.R. in Vancouver. His position in Vernon as Passenger Representative at the C.N.R. office is being filled by L. Wood, formerly of Calgary.

FO. George Cowan, R.C.A.F., arrived in Vernon from Ottawa on Monday and is spending leave at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rivard, of this city. FO. Cowan will report for duty in Vancouver at the termination of his leave.

Mrs. T. E. Harrison, of Vancouver, arrived in Vernon last Friday and is spending a vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman, of this city. Mrs. Harrison has been visiting relatives in Winnipeg and other Eastern centres.

Donald Harris, of this city, is expected back on Monday after two weeks' holiday spent in Victoria, Patricia Bay and Vancouver. He left for the Coast with Sgt. F. R. Pearce of the BX who had been spending a furlough at his home here.

The guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vollet of this city, Miss Althea Hasler of Vancouver, arrived in Vernon on Tuesday for a short visit. She is from Vancouver, but came here from Summerland, where she and two friends had been spending a vacation.

Miss Doris Martin, of Shuswap Falls, is spending a few days visiting with Mrs. B. Wintermute, of this city.

Sgtm. T. Walter Cowan has arrived safely in England, according to advices received by relatives here.

Miss Dagmar Herry recently arrived in Vernon from Kamloops, to spend a week with her parents at Kalamalka Lake.

W. C. Cranston, of Edmonton, superintendent, C.N.R. Express, is spending a week at the Coast on a two-day visit to Valley Centres.

Col. R. Fitzmaurice and his daughter, SO. Kitty Fitzmaurice, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), returned on a few days at the Coast on Saturday.

Among recruits recently enlisted in the R.C.A.F. through the No. 1 Recruiting Centre, Vancouver, is William Ernest Walls, whose father is R. Walls, of this city.

Miss Patricia Bristow, of Vancouver, arrived in Vernon on Monday to spend 10 days' vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bristow, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry King, of Calgary, have returned to their home after spending two weeks' vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold King, of this city.

Joseph Kronbauer, son of J. Kronbauer, of Vernon, is among the recruits who have recently enlisted in the R.C.A.F. No. 1 Recruiting Centre, at Vancouver.

B. A. Latta, of Winnipeg, General superintendent, C.N.R. Express, arrived in Vernon on Monday and was in the Valley for two days at the beginning of the week.

Peter and Paul Zannet, of Vancouver, arrived in Vernon on Monday and are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zannet, of Swan Lake, for two weeks.

Mrs. Alex Cowan returned to her home on Monday, having spent two weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. James Cowan, at Vancouver, and her brother, Harvey Nalmsmith, at Agassiz.

AC2. Harry P. Weatherill, R.C.A.F., returned to duty in Toronto on Monday evening, after having spent two weeks visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Weatherill, of this city.

Mrs. F. W. Trehearne and three daughters, of Vancouver, arrived in Vernon on Monday to spend a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Trehearne in this city. Mr. Trehearne is on the staff of the Provincial Government Agency office at the Court House.

Mrs. H. Jameson and her daughter, Ruth, of Regina, are visiting at the Long Lake home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnston. Mrs. Jameson is Mrs. Johnston's cousin. They arrived last Friday, and leave this evening, Thursday.

Rev. J. Maxwell Allan, inspector of personal services for the Canadian Legion, will address an open meeting on Friday, August 20, in the Scout Hall. Sponsored by the Canadian Legion War Services, the meeting will be supported by Vernon service clubs.

Dr. F. S. Colman, of Edmonton, arrived in Vernon on Sunday, and will be associated with Dr. H. L. Coursier, Vernon dentist. Dr. Colman is a graduate of the University of Edmonton, and commenced practicing on Monday, Dr. Coursier being on his holidays.

A. Z. "Slim" Campbell and George "Blackie" Erwin, cattle ranchers from Kamloops, arrived in Vernon on Monday to take in the Vernon Days celebration. "Slim" is taking over the job of chute judge at the stampeede, while "Blackie" is entering in competition.

Mrs. W. Hart, nee Miss Monique (Mouche) Herry arrived in Vernon last week after 10 years' absence and is spending a fortnight with her parents, Baron and Baroness Herry, at Kalamalka Lake. Mrs. Hart is wife of Professor William Merton Hart, of the University of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Honschoke, of Vernon, returned to their home, on Sunday, after spending a fishing vacation at Otter Bay, Okanagan Lake, with Mr. and Mrs. P. Eden. Mr. Eden, who works in the shipyards in Vancouver, will return to the Coast at the end of the week.

Mrs. J. S. Galbraith returned to Vernon on Sunday after an extended visit in Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto, and other Eastern cities and continues her return was delayed by illness. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. George T. Jackson, and little son Carl, of Ottawa, who will visit here for a time.

Dr. N. W. Strong has returned to Vernon after a month spent in Montreal and adjacent points.

Joe Johnston returned to the Coast last week after having spent a vacation at his home in Vernon.

Donald Johnstone, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnstone, of this city, is spending a month's vacation here.

Miss Pearl Little, on the staff of the Hudson's Bay Company Vernon store, returned on Monday from a week at Vancouver.

Miss Gloria Garrett of Edmonton, arrived on August 9 to spend a vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jervis E. Clarke, of this city.

Mrs. A. F. Matheson, of Geraldton, Ontario, arrived in Vernon on Monday and is vacationing with her uncle, E. J. Lancelotti, of this city.

Mrs. T. Gordon, with Norma Jean and Billy, her two children, are spending 10 days in Vernon, guests of her former sister, Mrs. L. McCuskey.

Mrs. Vera Page, of Winnipeg, returned to her home last Thursday, after spending a week in Vernon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Howrie, of Ocean Falls, have been visiting their parents in Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Richmond, and Mayor and Mrs. David Howrie.

While en route to Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston, of Calgary, spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis, of this city.

Mrs. P. Litva, of Field, B.C., arrived in Vernon on Wednesday and is spending a vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Botting, of this city.

Mrs. B. F. Gummow, Reeve of Peachland, was in Vernon on Thursday, when she attended the quarterly meeting of the Okanagan Valley Municipal Association.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Markle, of Rossland and daughter Sharon, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Markle's parents, Mayor and Mrs. David Howrie, of this city.

A. Stevenson, on the staff of the Hudson's Bay Company Vernon store, is on two weeks' vacation, part of which he is spending at Canoe with his sister, Mrs. J. K. Fraser.

Miss Evelyn Baldie returned to her home in Vancouver last week after having spent three weeks' vacation at the home of Miss Vollet, of Pasmore and other relatives in this city.

Miss Wilma Luxton of the B.C. Regional Office of the Wartime Civil Control Administration, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Kidston, Coldstream Road.

Mrs. D. P. Howrie, and daughter Roberts, have returned to their home in Vernon after being in Vancouver, where Mr. Howrie recently left for the R.C.A.F. Manning Depot at Edmonton.

Mrs. F. R. Webster, of Calgary, arrived in Vernon last week, and is spending a vacation of an indefinite time at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis, of this city.

LAC. Jack Glazner, R.C.A.F., who recently completed his initial training at Saskatoon, is spending leave at his home in Vernon until Friday, Thursday. He will return to an E.F.T.S., situated on the Prairie.

Mrs. Michael McGuire, who has been staying with Mrs. John Kidston, left on Saturday for Vancouver and Victoria. After a short stay here, she will proceed to Trenton, where her husband is stationed.

Miss Lilian Martin, Miss Madge Griffin and Miss Beverly Douglas, returned on Monday from two weeks at the Coast. They went to Victoria and stayed at the Devonshire Hotel during their visit in Vancouver.

Twin brothers, Ronald and Donald Smith, returned to their home in Vernon last week and are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith, of this city. The two boys are spending the summer vacation working on a farm in Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bryson and little son, Billy, also Mrs. Fergus Murtie and son Bob, left for Vancouver on Friday last after a visit of two weeks at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Murtie, Okanagan Lake, Fergus Murtie is remaining for a further week here.

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fulton will return to their home in Vancouver. They have been vacationing at the home of Mr. Fulton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fulton, of this city, and also with Sunday at the home of Mr. Fulton's parents in Rutland.

Robert W. Howrie, who is a flight engineer with the Canadian Pacific Airways in Quebec, is spending a short leave with his parents, Mayor and Mrs. David Howrie, prior to his marriage to Miss Bernice Hunter, of Armstrong, on returning flight. Engineer Howrie will report to the R.C.A.F. station in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Crawshaw left on Friday for Vancouver, after joining his wife, the former Miss Janet Clarke, for two weeks' holiday in Vernon. Mrs. Crawshaw had been at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jervis E. Clarke, for the past month, during which she acted as camp commandant for the Vernon Troop Girl Guides.

Mrs. D. G. Eselmont, the former Miss Alice Eselmont, left on Saturday, for Prince Rupert, where they will join Mr. Eselmont, who is with Edward Lipsett Limited. All this year Mrs. Eselmont and her children have been guests of Mrs. A. J. Doull, of Vernon. Accompanying the travelers as far as Vancouver was Miss Alice Doull, who spent the week end at the Coast.

Returning to Vernon yesterday, Wednesday morning, from the Coast, where they attended the wedding of Miss Vivian French and Mr. W. D. French, D. Kennedy, solemnized on Saturday, August 14, were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. French, parents of the bride, their son and daughter, Richard French, and Miss Beverly French. While in Victoria they visited W. H. Robertson, Dean Street.

Charles Young, of Vernon, left for Vancouver last week where he is spending a vacation.

Miss Mary Dafee, of Revelstoke, arrived on Wednesday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norris of this city.

Pte. David Robertson, son of Col. and Mrs. M. D. Robertson, of this city, is spending a week's enlistment leave at his home.

Mrs. Douglas Disney returned to her home in Kelowna on Monday after spending the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Cooper, of this city.

George F. Cameron, of Vancouver, Provincial Grand Master of the Orange Lodge will address an open meeting of Orange men and women in the Orange Hall, corner of Barnard Avenue and Vance Street next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss Catherine Bigland will leave for Vancouver on Saturday for three weeks' holiday. She will join her mother who is there for an extended visit, and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. E. Newell, Miss Bigland's sister, Mrs. W. H. Hall, is also at the Coast city on a vacation.

LAC. Stanley Chambers, R.O. A.F., who has been stationed in Newfoundland, arrived in Vernon on Wednesday and is spending three weeks' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Chambers, of this city. LAC. Chambers will report for duty on the West Coast after his leave terminates.

David deWolf, of Vernon, returned last Thursday from Victoria, where he has been attending summer school. He was accompanied home by Robert Rourke, of the Island city, who has spent a week here, the guest of Major and Mrs. F. C. deWolf. Mr. Rourke leaves this evening, Thursday, for the Coast.

Mrs. P. R. Finlayson, accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ronald Finlayson left for Vancouver on Wednesday. Mrs. Ronald Finlayson has spent the summer with Mrs. Finlayson and Mrs. East, Pasmore, at Okanagan Landing. She will return to her home in Prince George by plane from Vancouver.

Miss N. Crozier has returned to Vernon, after approximately a month spent in Edmonton. During her absence, her post in the office of Col. R. Fitzmaurice was filled by Mrs. Victor Bulwer, who was the guest of Mrs. Hubert Johnston during her stay here. Mrs. Bulwer left on Monday for Cherryville, where she will stay with her parents for a time.

Miss E. S. DeBou has as her guest, her niece, Miss Evelyn DeBou and a friend of the latter, Miss Margaret Turkington. They arrived in Vernon on Tuesday with Miss A. Hasler, from Summerland, where they had been occupying a cottage for part of the holidays. After a short visit here they will return to their homes in Vancouver.

Mrs. John Hart, wife of the Premier of British Columbia, and Miss Eileen MacDonald, of Victoria, the daughter of Hon. and Mrs. K. C. MacDonald, were visitors in Vernon for several hours on Wednesday. In the afternoon, after visiting in the city, they left for Penticton, where Miss MacDonald will visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. J. Rowland.

Accompanied by Col. J. F. Scott, Mrs. Scott and their family, left on Sunday for Calgary. Renting All Saints Rectory for a month, Mrs. Scott and her daughters, Misses Sheila and Sidney, as well as her two sons, Frederick and Jimmy, expected to remain here during the absence of Rev. Canon H. C. B. and Miss M. Gibson, on holiday. However, quick changes affected Col. Scott's plans, which made his wife decide to return to their Calgary home sooner than they at first intended.

Mrs. Jure, head of the personnel department, Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company Limited, of Trail, and Miss Jean Thomson, Industrial Relations department of the same firm, were Vernon visitors on Friday. They are on a tour of the Valley, visiting also Revelstoke and Kamloops. The former is endeavoring to locate 20 girls as laborers for the plant, and the latter is training girls for office help.

Mrs. Jure will go to Vancouver from Kamloops, Miss Thomson returning to Trail. During their overnight stay here, they were guests at the National Hotel.

T. M. Gibson returned at the week end from a business trip which took him to many points. He was joined in Vancouver by Ross Fern, president, West Okanagan Electric Corporation Limited, when they visited Quesnel. Also in the party was J. P. Moo, of the same company. They were on business for the Pacific Power and Water Company. On their return, Mr. Gibson visited in Prince George, Vancouver, Chilliwack and Hope, arriving in Vernon on Saturday morning with Mr. Moo, who resides at the Shuswap plant of the Hydro Electric Corporation.

Mr. Fern is also president of the Pacific Power and Water Company. Mr. Gibson being general superintendent of this firm.

Pte. Bill Inglis Makes Safe Crossing

Another Vernon boy has arrived overseas with the Armed Forces. On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. T. Inglis, of this city, received word from their son, Pte. Bill Inglis, of the Army Service Corps, stating that he had safely made the crossing to the Old Country.

Born in Vernon, Pte. Inglis attended both Elementary and High School in this city. After leaving school, he was first employed by the Canada Pad and Drum Company of Vernon, and at the time of his enlistment, November, 1942, was a clerk in McDowell's Drug Store.

He stated in his first letter to his parents that he had already seen two Vernon boys, Ptes. Johnny Swift and Leslie Porritt.

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The special identification card, and No. 2 ration book, must be produced when applying for the new ration book. No ration books will be issued to persons of Japanese origin at any other distributing centre. 26-1

Coast Soft Ball Teams Hosts to Battle Drill Boys

The Battle Drill School softball team, Vernon Military area champions and holders of the National Cafe Trophy, leaves this week-end for the Coast where they will play a series of games against Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo. These contests will determine the Pacific Command titlists.

Coaching the team is Cpl. Phil Coe, who is well known in the Vancouver sporting whirl. Cpl. Coe umpired in Coast softball leagues for many years. His club has taken all before them in the army league and has made many trips throughout the valley with a total of 33 games won and two lost as a record to carry against the big city teams.

They have visited the Kamloops club six times this season and have won each game. To win the Military Area title they were victorious over the last stepping Training Centre club.

The team is made up entirely of the staff and demonstration platoon at the School. All except one of the boys hail from Hamilton, Ontario.

They will be away about a week, during the regular time that is taken off between courses.

Illness Cuts Holidays Short For City Pastor

Rev. Dr. Jenkin H. Davies, minister of the Vernon United Church, returned to Vernon on Tuesday from North Vancouver, more than a week earlier than he had at first planned. Dr. Davies was advised that a further operation was necessary, and this he underwent yesterday morning, Wednesday.

During the minister's illness, Hon. Capt. and Rev. J. W. Slebert, Protestant chaplain, Vernon military area, who he had charge of all services, Rev. J. Scott, of North Vancouver, with whom Dr. Davies was exchanging pulpits, left for home on Friday, his wife preceding him some days earlier.

On Sunday, August 15, guest speaker at the United Church was Dr. D. Telfer, minister of West Point Grey United Church, who was passing through the city from Armstrong, where he had spent three weeks.

The British Merchant Navy has delivered 40,000,000 tons of imports annually during the war, and suffered casualties of 10,000 men in the first three years of war. Losses of merchant ships in Allied convoy protection have been 1/4 of 1%.

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Failing Our Airmen

NEWS THAT the gigantic Commonwealth Air Training Plan, Canada's most impressive contribution to the United Nations' cause, is breaking down for lack of suitable aircrew material is very serious word indeed, and certainly emphasizes just how precarious is this country's manpower question.

The extent of Canada's contribution to the devastating aerial assaults on the enemy is highlighted by the official admission this week that one in every four Royal Air Force airmen is a Canadian, in addition to the many squadrons of R.C.A.F. now operating all round the world. This means that for every four bombers and fighters operating over Germany, Italy, Burma, in fact over all enemy territory, one is Canadian.

Another way of putting it is to say that if all Canadian graduates of the CATP were lumped together then the entire overseas Army would be insufficient to provide the necessary ground crews for maintenance duties.

This, then, is the extent of the program to which Canada is committed—a program that has counted heavily in swinging vital air superiority over to the Allied cause.

Evidence that the training plan is falling down comes from many different sources. Within the past few days, an Air Force recruiting officer publicly declared that one-third of the schools for training airmen would be forced to close soon unless the flow of material was increased greatly.

One glance at the situation locally provides an answer. Of the hundreds upon hundreds of young men who have gone from this district, the vast majority have long since completed their training in the Army, Air Force, or to a lesser extent in the Navy. The weekly lists of graduates of the various CATP schools nowadays contain very few names of Vernon and district boys—the vast majority have long since gone away. Many are fighting, some are missing, some will fight no more.

The key importance of air forces can no longer be debated. Air ascendancy is beyond question the most important single factor of victory in modern war. The Luftwaffe proved the proposition in 1939 and 1940, as the Financial Post points out. Japan proved it in 1941 and early 1942; Generals Montgomery and MacArthur have demonstrated its truth since mid-1942. Air Marshal Harris and the American Air Forces are proving it night and day over Germany. Over 7,000 men of the R.C.A.F. have given their lives to carry the air war to the enemy, to save the lives of thousands of men in the army when the final assault is launched.

It is still not too late an hour, though it is very late, to devise some plan for manpower allocation that will fill the gaps on the sole testing ground of helping to win the war.

Canada listened too long to those who, not so many months ago, urged exclusive concentration on the army. The record will show that one powerful daily newspaper in this province once said that Canada should have and could have "twenty divisions." Well we have six or seven now, and manpower is needed everywhere.

The solution does not lie in indiscriminate raiding of the various branches of the Army for recruits for the Air Force. The Army has its requirements and these must be met. But somewhere in Canada are 50,000 to 70,000 conscripted troops. If these were made available for general service, could not the Army then allow transfers from its ranks? Or at the very least, could not Army recruiting be emphasized less and Air Force recruiting more, providing the land service has an additional thousands of men already trained available for overseas duty?

Relax And Help

BY THE TIME this is distributed to most North Okanagan homes, all but the final features will be over.

There is still time, however, for an eleventh hour word in regard to this celebration, to urge everyone to attend the concluding features centering in the Civic Arena this evening, Thursday.

This is a wartime celebration, and is therefore only justifiable on two counts—will it aid the war effort and will it help people to relax the better to complete their daily tasks?

On both these scores the Kin celebration hits the bell with a resounding smack. Proceeds from the drawing for the delightful little cottage and from the stampee, carnival, and other features go to a vitally necessary charity—Milk for Britain. The entertainment will mean relaxation for everyone, a few hours of amusement out of the busy routine of our lives.

Then, too, the celebration is kept alive against the coming of happier days. In peacetime Vernon Days became known far and wide, and when peace comes again the excellent publicity will return.

See you at the stampee and at the carnival!

Thanks For The Support

BRITISH COLUMBIA weekly newspapers achieved rather a major share of the honors awarded annually by the Canadian Weekly Newspapers' Association. The annual convention in Toronto last week saw two Okanagan papers and several other papers from scattered points throughout the province carry off most of the higher awards in several classes.

To be named the best weekly newspaper in Canada was the fortunate designation given The Vernon News. The award thus stays in the West for another twelve months, the Pentleton Herald having been in possession of the Mason Trophy last year and also in 1938 and 1939.

The newspaper business, especially the rural press, has an axiom, the truth of which has been tested many, many times. This is: "You can't publish a good newspaper in a poor town."

A good newspaper can only exist—except where the owner has a "pot of gold"—in a town that is progressive, wide-awake, and expanding.

A Page of Opinion

The Golden Signposts

Now that the flame-shot darkness riging slowly
Drowns the old way-marks set by sea and land,
Let me bear witness to the faith within me
And forge anew the creed by which I stand—
By which I seek and know that I shall find—
By which the darkness cannot make me blind.

The stars grow dim in blood, the mountains tremble,
Death is upon the days I knew and loved:
No less the golden signposts—truth and honor
And valor—stand and cannot be removed.
However matted the ranks of onslaught roll,
Still is the battle to the strong in soul.

For evil—cringing evil, swaggering evil—
I have no argument except the sword:
I will not treat with hypocrites and traitors,
I will not buy them to betray their lord:
Filthy are they, rotten in root and stem,
And they bedabble such as deal with them.

To all true men on earth and true men only
I cry aloud, and I unglove the hand—
Come out, come up and set yourselves in order
Here between the hilltop and the sand:
Wounding is on us—death, it well may be—
But here, here forever is Victory!

AUDREY ALEXANDRA BROWN.

Equipment is expensive, the printing processes complicated, labor costs higher than in ordinary industrial plants.

To a marked degree, Vernon possesses these attributes. Throughout the years, business men of this city have constantly expanded their premises, and have found that consistent advertising has paid them dividends. Advertising, in turn, has enabled this newspaper to give better service, to ensure that the paper is well produced, informative and hence useful, and to see that every home in the North Okanagan receives a copy each week.

To sum up, it may be said that Vernon, by its vigorous forward looking attitude, provided an opportunity for a good newspaper to be of service and that in turn The Vernon News took advantage of the opportunity.

One point particularly pleases everyone working here: that winning of the Mason Trophy is a tribute to the man who laid the foundation stone years ago—the late W. S. Harris.

Bad News Indeed

NEWS THAT THE Chinese War Relief Drive in Vernon is not meeting with handsome public support is very bad news indeed.

The drive, slow to get started locally, has now passed the half-way mark, and the total of contributions is not nearly fifty percent of what is required if Vernon is to meet its comparatively small objective of \$2,000. At the very most this sum needed does not represent more than twenty-five cents for every man, woman, and child in this area. When consideration is given to the fact that some public spirited individuals have donated large amounts of money, it becomes evident that many ordinary citizens are not lending the helping hand they should.

China's stand against the ruthless Japanese is so well known that repetition should be unnecessary.

Contributions may be made at any local bank or to any member of the committee. Large or small, make your contribution today.

We See the Guards!

Our good man has been in khaki a year now. A rather long and strange year in our family, for Dad was never away from us before. However, this veteran of the First Great War, a most peace-loving, slipshod-and-book-man, used to get restive spells at times.

Remember the days of '39, '40, when the news was poor, bad and worse all the time? "Recruiting was too slow," he said, and too many people talked about this not being our war. It was not enough that his 18-year-old son had volunteered, came Dunkirk, and that did it. He was bound to many lies, but he unshooked himself from them all—and went.

The other day we got word that he was being moved still further from us. So we did a wild sort of John Gilpin's ride to see him.

A short visit, but the happy memories will give long joy.

These men were nearly all grey-haired, but looked sunburned and fit. They had their jobs to do, and you felt that they did them well. In their walk was a pride that they could still serve Canada thus. Their straight glances bored into the healthy-looking young civilians on trains and other vehicles.

We had to go past civilian guards to reach their hidden barracks. Three men of 60-odd watched the gate. One had lost a fortune at Hong Kong. His cheerful men would never let you guess that he got out of that hell with just what he had on.

The men played volley ball and horse-shoes in the evenings. An ex-minister was one of their champs. One man had driven a London bus, now he drives a Bren gun carrier. Another was a prairie farmer with an Air Force son, and a 17-year-old who runs half the usual home acreage. He has a terrible time for the crops are heavy this year in their district. Not one of them had been out of work; each had his home and job. The training, the out-of-door life, the good food, and the feeling that they are making useful sacrifices has given the Guards a lift to their step, lifted their shoulders and dropped some of their "over-forty" years.

Oh yes, and there was Paddy Ryan, Paddy gets bouts of indigestion at times, and is given medicine for his ailment. The day we were there, the "pills man" told us, "Paddy just came up and said, '—a come back on me; give us some of them pills!' Poor Paddy, the pills were jacked, and he had to be told to 'scrounge some soda.' A Scottish ex-neighbor of Paddy's remarked, 'Och, but they're awful, sort-of-rappers, them pills, they're allers flightin'!'

That will be an interesting day if the Jerrys and the Ryan's have to meet and tangle. Our bet's the Irishman; what's yours?

And may the good St. Patrick, and the God he served, be good to him—and to all the Guards!

—SOLDIER'S WIFE

Kharkov, Randazzo, Bairoko

The sixth definition of the word "invest" given in the useful Webster's is: "To inclose with hostile intent; to surround or hem in with troops or ships so as to intercept success of man and provisions and prevent escape." Kharkov, Randazzo and Bairoko are three of the world's inhabited places that are in process of investment by forces of the United Nations today. Kharkov has been a strong defensive position for the Germans, key to their holding the Ukraine. In Russian hands it might become the base for a deep salient into the Dnieper and a major offensive.

AS I SEE IT..

By Captain Elmore Philpott

Guesses Spot for Second Front

Where will the second front be opened? That is a question which will soon be answered by action, and not by newspaper discussion. But meanwhile it is interesting for us Canadians to think about it. For it is a ten-to-one bet that when the long-expected landing is made our main Canadian overseas force will be in it.

It may be that now that our First Division is in the Mediterranean area it will be kept there for awhile. But what has happened in several weeks of fierce fighting in Sicily has shown that our Canadian troops are trained, fit and equipped to take second place to no other part of the Allied Army; and are as well able to meet the pick of Hitler's men as were their fathers and elder brothers able to meet and beat the Kaiser's best.

For there is no reason to believe that our fine First Division is to any marked degree superior as a fighting entity to the other similar Canadian formations now poised in Britain all set to strike.

General Giraud has stated flatly that a large-scale Allied invasion is possible from the western coast of France. That might well be coupled with a simultaneous attack from the Mediterranean coast. It is no secret that the systematic devastation of railways by the R.A.F. has not been applied in these districts, but rather concentrated between Germany and France. This would give our invading troops an advantage—and impose a greater handicap on the Germans than if the attack were made across the English Channel or North Sea.

I think Norway can be safely ruled out in this respect. The risks and probable losses in an attack on Norway would be just about as great as in an attack on Hitler's so-called inner fortress. But even if completely successful the possible later advantages would be minor as compared with a successful landing in Denmark, Germany, the Lowlands or France. For once an Allied army, however small, has landed and consolidated an adequate bridgehead on the Continent itself, Germany's defeat becomes only a matter of months. And until such a landing is made, and consolidated, there is no sure and final proof, to the Germans or anybody else, that they cannot hold out for years.

Denmark Would Be Ideal

The ideal spot for landing would be in Denmark. If this could be extended to include a spearhead across the Kiel Canal the whole war might well end in a matter of weeks. The Danish site has other obvious advantages. Even if only successful in spots there is reason to believe that a foothold could be maintained.

Denmark is ringed about with islands. Once firmly on any one of these we have an excellent chance to cut Germany's supply lines to Norway.

But the disadvantage of the Danish invasion plan is that Denmark is too far from Britain to provide that overwhelming umbrella of air protection which is so desirable—and probably vitally necessary for successful invasion.

There is no such thing as complete surprise in an attack such as will be necessary in the second front. The Germans know very well that in spite of the great Soviet drives at Orel, Bryansk and Kharkov, the greatest of all Soviet offensives is still to come. They know it will come near Smolensk—that is on the shortest and most direct line to Berlin.

My own guess is that the same principle will surely apply on the Western front. Our Canadian boys will be back into Europe, with their British and American teammates, not far from where Churchill's distinguished ancestor, Marlborough, entered the Continent; not far from where Wellington landed to beat Napoleon; not far from where most Canadians went in to fight World War I—not far from where the British came out at Dunkirk.

For the shortest distance between two points is still the straight line. And the best way to knock out an already wobbly prizefighter is to hit him with everything but the kitchen sink on the point of the jaw.

It doesn't always work—but it never works until it tried.

Japan Has Ace of Trumps Up Sleazy

Italy is out of the war already for practical purposes. The Allies can knock her out whenever they feel like it, by doing to all Italian cities what they did to Hamburg.

Even the most conservative military men now admit that the defeat of Germany is but a matter of months away. But only a minority of Allied leaders believe that Japan can be beaten before the end of 1944. The most cautious say it will take till 1949. But the others base optimism on the same premise as does Senator Pepper of Florida. That is, that once Germany is beaten the Soviet will declare war on Japan, and so provide the Allies with convenient bases from which Japan can be attacked by air, sea and land at close quarters.

That seems to me like the most dangerous of wild thinking. It violates the old cowboy rule, based on horse-sense, which says "never bet on another man's trick." It seems especially unwise to expect the Soviet people to volunteer to make part of their country the battlefield in Asia, after several years of bloody war in Europe. Moreover, in maintaining neutrality in the war on the Finnish front the United States herself is now setting a poor precedent.

Then Comes Action in Far East

Once Germany is beaten, yet Allied naval and air forces will be moved to the Pacific and Indian Oceans. The Allies will change their whole war plan. Presumably they will abandon the island-to-island strategy and begin to move in on Japan itself. They will strike toward the head of the Japanese octopus, and abandon the slow and costly process of hacking away at the end of the distant tentacles.

Conceivably such a change in method could change the whole war picture in the Pacific in a matter of months. Even now, the great mass of our people do not realize why the war went so badly against us in the Pacific. The fact was that Japan won two of the most decisive naval victories of all time in the first few days of the war in the Pacific. It is true that the first and greatest part of this victory was won in the "sneak attack" on Pearl Harbor—and that the extent of the damage was concealed from us for many months afterwards. But the methods by which it was won does not alter the reality or magnitude of the victory itself.

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Municipal Office, Coldstream	Aug. 25, 26, 27	9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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Oyama Home EnFete for Women's Institute Party

Gratifying Sum of \$50 Raised For Gift Parcels For District Service Men, Women

OYAMA, B.C., Aug. 16.—A very successful garden party, under the auspices of the Kalamalka Women's Institute, was held at the home of the president, Mrs. R. Allison, on Thursday afternoon. The party which was attended by over 70 people, was held in aid of the Good Cheer Fund to send parcels to the boys and girls of Oyama in the Services, and the gratifying sum of \$50, after all expenses were paid, was handed over to this cause as a result of the afternoon's activities. There was a superlative and home produce stall presided over by Mrs. C. Townsend, Mrs. A. S. Towgood and Mrs. J. Trehunt, while competitive games for the children were in charge of Mrs. D. Eyles and Miss A. Towgood. These games consisted of bean bag, bagatelle board, dart board and swing, and the prizes were War Savings Stamps. The bean bag set was beautifully made and donated by Mrs. A. S. Towgood.

A big attraction was the reading of palms by Baroness Herby of Vernon, and so much enthusiasm was displayed in this connection that the Baroness was kept busy until quite late in the evening.

Before tea was served Mrs. L. Campbell-Brown gave an inspiring talk on the objective of the garden party in collecting money for parcels for the boys and girls in the Services, pointing out that all these parcels would help towards victory.

Mrs. Campbell-Brown then proceeded to remind her listeners of the urgent need of relief to China, saying the time was short and the need great. As a result of this appeal, a spontaneous contribution of \$30 was received from donors who wished to remain anonymous. Afternoon tea, under the convenship of Mrs. H. Aldred, was served at small tables on the lawn, by the soldiers' wives and several young girls of the community. Mrs. Floyd Whipple, Mrs. W. Dugate and Mrs. C. Pattullo, presided in the kitchen very competently. Mrs. Patterson

was the lucky winner of the afghan which was made, donated and raffled by Mrs. Claridge. The mystery raffle, which turned out to be a chicken dressed ready for the oven, donated by Mrs. W. Dugate, was won by Mrs. D. Eyles.

On Way To Coast Mrs. and Mrs. Strick Edridge are in Oyama for a few days on their way from near Moose Jaw, to Abbotsford, where the Boeing plant in which Mr. Edridge is employed has been moved.

Miss Mary Shumway-Loren returned last Wednesday to her home in Oyama after an extended visit in Victoria.

Miss Dorothy Stephen is the guest of Mrs. Douglas Dewar at Dog Lake, near Penticton.

Miss Joyce Bean is visiting friends in Summerland.

J. F. Stephen is on a business trip to Vancouver, from where he will take a 10 days' trip up the Coast.

The raffle of the ham, in aid of the Greek Relief Fund has now been completed, the lucky winner being Mrs. Walter Newton, who guessed the exact weight of the ham, which was 3 1/2 pounds.

Several members of the Salvation Army from Vernon, held a service, attended by members of the community, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wright, on August 8.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Towgood and Alice, are spending a week at the home of their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Towgood, of Summerland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Metcalf are looking forward to a pianoforte recital by Miss Gertrude Tucker, pupil of Mrs. A. Beaton Smith, at the home of Mrs. Smith, on Thursday evening, August 26, at 8:30 p.m. Asisting artists will be Mrs. A. Murphy, soprano, of Lumby, and Mrs. W. Bateman, violinist, of Oyama. Everybody will be welcome, and a collection will be taken in aid of the Greek Relief Fund.

Mrs. R. Despres spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, of Kelowna.

Westbank Audience Hears Of Health Unit Coverage

Many Aspects of Work Form Subject of Comprehensive Talk by Dr. J. M. Hershey

WESTBANK, B.C., Aug. 16.—Dr. J. M. Hershey addressed a meeting of representatives of the Westbank Women's Institute, Chamber of Commerce, and the V.O.N., at the Community Hall last Friday evening.

Voicing an appreciation of the interest shown by the number of representatives present, Dr. Hershey gave a description of the work assigned the Health Unit. Immunization for infectious diseases, school health supervision, and sanitation were a few of the aspects of the Unit's administration. So wide is its sphere, that to enjoy complete success, it requires the sympathetic co-operation and understanding of the entire community, he stated.

Since the Valley Health Board dealt with general problems, but was unable, due to the extent of its territory, to cope with each separate local problem, Dr. Hershey suggested the appointment of a small Local Health Committee to meet each month with the district nurse and himself. Such a committee would discuss current health problems and return to their organization to spread the report thus acquainting the community with the progress made each month. Dr. Hershey warned that those chosen by the organizations would necessarily be working not for honor, members, and that that was understood by them.

The meeting, unanimously in favor of his suggestion, voted O. D. Dobbin, representative of the Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. M. E. G. Fritchard, of the V.O.N., and Mrs. J. A. Ingram, of the Westbank Women's Institute.

The district nurse, Miss Boyd, Dr. Hershey wished it understood, is not working alone for the babies and children, but a certain amount of time will be spent to interview those able to come to the office. If anyone is unable to go to the office Miss Boyd will call at their home.

Clinic For Well Babies
A Well-baby Clinic will be held in the United Church basement, from 2:30 on Friday afternoon, August 20, when both Miss Boyd and Dr. Hershey will be present. It is hoped that all mothers with babies will take advantage of this service, which in other parts of the Valley has proved of inestimable value.

Immunization for infectious diseases will be undertaken at the commencement of school, and parents will be notified of the schedule later.

All committee meetings are open to the public and anyone wishing to attend is cordially invited. Representatives of the various organizations present at the meeting were:

For the Chamber of Commerce: J. A. Maddock, G. Butte, T. Reeco, W. Ingram, and O. D. Dobbin.

For the V.O.N.: I. L. Howlett, Mrs. M. E. G. Fritchard, and O. J. Tollhurst.

Opl. and Mrs. Edward North-east are spending two weeks' holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Basham, Sr., at their lakeshore home.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis D. Hiltchener left recently for a few weeks at the Coast, to be spent with their children. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Elzchen and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamby, of Vancouver, arrived last week to spend a holiday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Howlett.

Andy Dzuski arrived last week to spend a week with his family in Westbank. Mr. Dzuski is employed in Boeing Aircraft Company as an instrument expert.

Westbank Young People spent an enjoyable evening at the "Bays" Playhouse with the "The Singing Songs to the accompaniment of Alma Johnson's guitar, and finally eating so many "hot dogs" that the supply was exhausted before the appetites were fully sated. The youngsters then went home in the moonlight, all agreeing that it had been a grand evening.

Miss Lani Waldo, of Penticton, is visiting at the home of her

Definition of A Farmer

What is a farmer? First definition of a farmer to appear in any Wartime Prices and Trade Board order has been included under new regulations governing slaughtering of beef, pork, veal, lamb and mutton. Under this order a farmer is defined as: "A person who derives the major portion of his livelihood from agricultural pursuits carried on by him on a farm."

Falkland School Has Visit From A. S. Matheson

Official Trustee Stops Over For Check-up on Way Home From Victoria

FAULKLAND, B.C., Aug. 16.—After a strenuous program, School Inspector A. S. Matheson, B.A., returning from Victoria, spent a few hours Wednesday afternoon checking up at the Falkland school which, as Official Trustee, Mr. Matheson supervises. He has made arrangements for interior decoration to brighten the classrooms before the opening of the new school year. Mr. Matheson, with a couple of friends, are spending this week at Pillar Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Pipe and little daughter of Salmon Arm spent last week visiting Mr. Pipe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bailey.

After a month at their old home in Saskatoon, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hawryshuk and family returned recently to Falkland. The prairie folks no longer bore familiar faces and the land seemed to have a drabness, difficult to picture in the mind.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bailey, who were glad to get back into the mountains.

On holiday from his usual work, Mervyn Currie, accompanied by his wife and son Roy, are enjoying Vancouver weather and friends this week.

Gnr. Paul Hamann, second son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hamann, spent recent leave with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Metcalf last week enjoyed a visit from Mrs. MacDonald and daughter, of Silver Creek. Mrs. MacDonald is a niece of Mrs. Metcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, formerly employees at McClelland's Store, now of Port Alberni, spent a few hours on Tuesday renewing Falkland acquaintances. Mr. Currie predicts a big future for the Alberni area where negotiations are under way for amalgamation of three towns into a city.

E. B. Butterfield, Federal Inspector of Weights and Measures, was a visitor to Falkland on Tuesday last but there was much more excitement and activity locally on Friday when Mr. Irwin, R.C. Inspector, checked up on license-holders.

Misses Shirley and Gwen Donaldson, spent last week holidaying at North Kamloops, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Elton Nilsen.

While engaged in a swamping job along a bush trail, Tom Churchill had the misfortune on Wednesday morning to gash his foot severely. He was immediately taken to the hospital for treatment.

He was able to return to Falkland after the foot had been dressed and is now recovering splendidly.

Mrs. Mitchell, of Vancouver, arrived on Thursday morning to begin a two-weeks' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Karyan, her brother Elmer, and her sister, Mrs. George Brydon, all residents of Paxton Valley.

District Resident Bereaved
Mrs. David Miller recently received the sad news that a sister and a niece, residents of Scotland, had died of diphtheria.

Miss Kathleen Miller left recently for McBride where she is a chum, June Forrier, will be employed as waitresses in a cafe.

The annual children's summer school, conducted by the Roman Catholic Church, opened last week under the supervision of Rev. Father Connellan and Sisters Maria Austin and Maria Theodorica. The mission continued for a week.

Having resumed regular meetings, now that the weather is more clemently inclined, the Ladies' Aid under the leadership of Mrs. J. H. Phillips, met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. H. Seaman. Three new members have joined. All members are assisting with sewing for the bazaar, scheduled for the fall. Mrs. Phillips has also organized a junior sewing class for Saturday afternoons.

After an apparently successful operation on adenoids and tonsils the previous week, Miss Betty Struthers developed hemorrhages on Friday evening last and was rushed to Vernon Jubilee Hospital. Last reports on her progress were very encouraging.

LAO W. A. Brydon spent a short leave from Brandon, Man. Coming to Falkland on Saturday morning, he spent that day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brydon. On Sunday he was one of a party visiting the Lookout, near Falkland, on Monday he renewed acquaintances at Armstrong where he spent his boyhood. LAO Brydon has been with the Air Force for 10 months. Following this leave, he anticipates transfer to another Manitoba station.

Having accepted employment with the Long Brothers Sawmills where her husband is also employed at Monte Lake, Mrs. Thomas Currie left for the Coast last Saturday evening last her resignation as janitress at the Falkland school.

grandmother, Mrs. D. B. Gollally, of Westbank.

Hilding Johnson recently returned to his home in Westbank, from Kamloops, where he has been employed for some months.

Mrs. N. H. Johnson and her small daughter, spent a few days in Vernon, last week, visiting Mrs. George Johnson's sister, Mrs. Piro-Wardner Earl Lundin, with a number of fighters conscripted from non-rural jobs were called to fight another battle, north of Westbank, near the Walker farm, where the "war" of the "small" small fires this year in that area, the origin is unknown.

AO2 Adrian Reeco is home on a holiday, from his training camp in Edmonton, Alta.

Armstrong R.C.A.F. Man Returns to Duty After Vital Leave

Relieves at Brother's Garage While Owner is Bedridden by Leg Injury

ARMSTRONG, B.C., August 10.—Sgt. Alfred Fletcher, R.C.A.F., who has assisted in the operation of the Okanagan Garage for the past six weeks during the illness of his brother, B. W. Fletcher, left Saturday evening to return to duty at the Coast. It is with a great deal of pleasure that friends have learned that Bert Fletcher, is again able to carry on his work after being severely burned on the leg. His mother, Mrs. R. J. Fletcher, who has been here for the past month, also left Saturday evening but will visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Hampton, in Kamloops, before returning to her home in New Westminster.

Frances and Allan Goddard, of Vancouver, are guests at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler.

Mrs. George Sprout and Mrs. Elmer Leshar left on Thursday for Vancouver where they will attend the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Percy Leshar.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sheardown and son, George, of Kamloops, also Mr. Wilbur Sheardown, of Prince Rupert, with her sister, Miss Rene Nicholson, of Chilliwack, arrived on Sunday to visit Mrs. A. J. Sheardown.

Mrs. H. Latter and daughter returned on Wednesday from Creston.

Ed Wyatt with Mrs. E. Morin and daughter, Miss Joyce Morin, of Vancouver, spent last week in the valley. They were guests of George Wyatt of this city.

Miss Eileen Ireland left Friday evening for Vancouver where she will enter training in St. Paul's Hospital.

Mrs. J. Schluter, of San Francisco, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. MacDonald.

Jack Armstrong, who has been manager of the Overwaitea Store in this city for the past eighteen months and recently joined the R.C.A.F., left Wednesday evening to enter training at Lechin, Quebec.

Death Claims Wife of Former Armstrong Man

ARMSTRONG, B.C., August 14.—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Leshar will regret to learn that they received word last week of the death of their daughter-in-law, wife of Percy E. Leshar, which occurred in Vancouver on Tuesday, August 10.

Mrs. Leshar, the former Miss Evelyn de Burgh, who was aged 45, has few friends in this district as she lived here a very short time. But her husband is known by many as he operated the Falkland mail route for several years.

It is about 17 years since Mr. and Mrs. Leshar left this district and for the past two years they have lived in Vancouver where Mr. Leshar is employed by Spencers Limited.

Besides her husband she is survived by her father, Digby de Burgh of Vancouver, also one sister and three brothers. The funeral was held at two o'clock on Friday afternoon from Simmons and McBride Funeral Chapel, Vancouver, Rev. E. Basham officiating. Interment took place in the lawn section of Mount View Cemetery.

Westside News Items

EWING'S LANDING, B.C., Aug. 11.—AW1 Sybil Leckie-Ewing, stationed in Calgary, spent a week's leave with her parents here. She left August 6 for Victoria, where she visited her sisters.

Ete. K. Wood, C.W.A.C. and her friend, Miss Evelyn Scholls of Vancouver, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Wood for two days last week.

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Enderby Hopes to Raise \$500 for Chinese Relief

Plan to Reach Objective Without House-to-House Canvass if Possible

ENDERBY, B.C., Aug. 16.—With a \$500 objective being set for Enderby, those in charge of the aid to the Chinese War Relief drive have begun beginning activity in connection with the drive this week. A committee has been formed with Rev. W. Sharnman as chairman, to be assisted by A. B. Greig, as treasurer, and an executive consisting of Mayor C. Hawkins and Mrs. E. E. Harvey.

A meeting which had been called for on Friday evening had been very poorly attended so no further arrangements could be made, but it was decided by those in charge, not to have a personal canvass if it could be possibly avoided. Which involves great difficulty in war time when gas rationing is so urgent, as well as the expenditure of much time when so many residents are away on holiday and farmers are busy with their harvesting. Instead it is hoped that as much as possible of the objective will be given voluntarily by the end of this week to either the Bank of Montreal headquarters or the local Post Office. The date of collection does not expire however until the end of August, so that any who are away at this time can give their donations before the closing date.

If however it is felt by the committee that a lagging of donations is evident, it is expected that a house to house canvass will have to be organized before the expiry date.

Looking on the Dark Side! Predictions that there will be a very early fall and hard winter are already being made by many of the old time residents of town who have been studying weather

conditions these past weeks. S. Wabey, one of the local farmers many years and who recently sold his farm on the back Enderby-Salmon Road expects that an early fall is inevitable. This year Mr. Wabey has noticed that his chickens are moulting very much earlier than before. Enderby residents who have felt that summer weather has been early or long enough this year, hope that Mr. Wabey's predictions of an early fall and cold winter will not come to pass, but many of the other weather signs also point to this condition.

Wind Does Damage

Wind sprits played havoc with Enderby residents on Friday afternoon, uprooting trees, scattering neatly piled mounds of hay, and preventing farmers from continuing threshing their crops of peas, and seed.

Loss on the property of Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. B. Hassard and the Anglican Church were broken by the severe gale. Papers which had been scattered about town were blown for miles, residents were seen mowing out into the garden to save many of their precious plants and flowers. The farmers of the district were affected mostly by the wind, as all having operations had to cease, and on fields which had been neatly arranged with small stacks of hay, there was no sign whatsoever that any work had been done. In most cases entire fields of hay had to be re-collared. A number of district farmers were busy threshing what was left of their crops of peas, turnip and other seed which had been grown for market, suffered much damage and loss. It wasn't until 8 p.m. that there was a lull wearing itself out in the Gidra district.

The remainder of the week had remained excellent however for farmers harvesting their fall crops, with all day long being beautiful warm days, the best ever for haying and threshing.

The old Enderby Hotel which is being torn down by John Johnson is rapidly nearing demolition. All the inside of the building has been cleared away, the roof is now off, and the large and smaller windows are out, so that only the frame walls remain. It is expected that the building will be completely dismantled in the very near future and the site leveled off ready for any future use.

Members of the Enderby General Hospital Board held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening in the City Hall at 8 o'clock. President C. E. Richards conducted the meeting and C. Reeves, secretary-treasurer read the minutes and the financial statement. It was decided to get in contact with a new nurse whose application had been received. She will take the place of Miss McPherson who leaves Enderby for Armstrong where she has obtained a position as school nurse. Business in connection with the hospital washing machine was read, and it was decided to have birch wood brought in which had been obtained earlier in the year, so that it could be stored. It was noted that C. E. Richards be delegate to attend the Hospital Provincial Convention held in Victoria early in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie King, of Kamloops, spent a short visit at the home of Mayor C. Hawkins last week. Mr. and Mrs. King have been enjoying a camping holiday at Salmon Arm prior to their visit at Enderby.

Rev. J. L. King conducted the service in St. Andrew's United Church on Sunday morning during the absence of Rev. W. J. Selder who has been camping at Mabel Lake.

Mrs. Percy Farmer entertained a number of friends at her home on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Esther Moffat and her sister Mrs. Cheever who have been visiting during the past week with Mrs. T. Sparrow, before returning to their home in Seattle. Miss Moffat and her sister were residents of Enderby a number of years ago.

Prairie Visitors Return Soon
Mrs. J. L. King accompanied by Miss Anne King and her sister Mrs. Yates and daughter Miss Christine Yates, both of Winnipeg, left for Vernon on Wednesday. Mrs. Yates and her daughter leave shortly for their home in Winnipeg after spending a few weeks with Rev. and Mrs. King.

Mrs. L. L. Dunsmore and daughter, Audrey "Chickie", arrived on Thursday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack LaForge. On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. LaForge motored to Salmon Arm accompanied by Mrs. L. L. Dunsmore where the latter entrained for Winnipeg where Capt. Dunsmore is with the C.P.A. slates.

Another visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. LaForge last week was Mrs. K. D. Langstaff of Nelson who arrived on Wednesday with her two children, Elaine and John. They returned to their home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Biggo whose recent marriage took place in St. George's Anglican Church, returned home last week after spending a holiday at southern Valley points.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byrnes left on Saturday for Kamloops and Tranquille to spend the week-end visiting with their daughters Misses Dorothy and Edythe Byrnes who have been employed at Tranquille during the past year. They were accompanied on the week-end holiday by their two sons Norman and Teddy.

Tom Russell of Armstrong arrived on Wednesday evening to spend a few days' holiday visiting with his brother, Harry Russell.

Miss Ellen Morton, R.N., arrived at the end of the week to spend a holiday visiting with her mother after two weeks with friends at Calgary. Miss Morton who is employed in the staff of the Revelstoke Hospital will return to her duties after her visit in Enderby.

Lt. Ben Carlson left on Sunday afternoon to return to Vernon after spending the week-end visiting with his father, B. Carlson,

Sgt. Jim Staten who recently arrived from Vancouver to continue his duties at Vernon has found time to spend the week-end visiting with his wife in Enderby. Mrs. Staten who sold her business a short time ago will move shortly to Vancouver to make her home, after residing in Enderby for some years.

Miss Noreen Kass who has been employed at Vernon during the past few years, arrived in Enderby last week to spend a short visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kass before continuing on to Mabel Lake where she is spending a week's holiday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Large.

San Francisco Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. August Antilla arrived from their home in San Francisco, to visit with Mr. Antilla's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Antilla of Mara who is seriously ill in the Enderby General Hospital. A number of years ago Mr. Antilla resided in Enderby and he is enjoying a visit to his former home. While here Mr. and Mrs. Antilla will visit with Mrs. Henry Semard at Mabel Lake, and Laurie Antilla of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Utas who arrived a week ago to visit with their former home in Enderby, returned on Saturday to Vancouver. Mr. Utas has been employed at the Coast for a number of years, his wife moving to the Coast only a year ago.

Dickson accompanied by her two children, Miss Patricia "Paddy" Dickson and son Bob, left for Vernon last week to spend a day or two visiting with Mr. and P. Mowat.

A number of local residents are making plans this week to attend the Vernon Frontier Days in Vernon at the end of the week. With transportation more difficult than in past years, a number of the drivers are making arrangements to join up with their friends so that as many as possible will be able to attend.

Frank Treat returned home from Sicamous at the week-end after spending a holiday with relatives. Jimmie Jamieson of Armstrong was a business visitor to Enderby on Saturday.

Elmer Hassard accompanied by his brother-in-law, Ralph Stevenson, arrived from Vancouver to spend a short holiday visiting at the home of his brother.

Veteran on Leave

Pte. Fred Ellington has been enjoying a furlough with his wife and son in Enderby this past week

before returning to his Veterans' Guard camp at Seebe, Alberta.

Local and district friends of Mrs. L. Dill who has been a patient in the Enderby General Hospital will be pleased to learn that she is improving.

Miss Esther Moffat and her sister Mrs. Cheever, and daughter Jacqueline who have been enjoying a holiday visiting at the home of Mrs. T. Sparrow and renewing many old acquaintances in Enderby by left at the beginning of this week for their home at Seattle. Miss Moffat and her sister were residents of Enderby a number of years ago.

Miss Helen McMahon returned home at the end of the week from Revelstoke where she has spent a short holiday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chomat. On her trip to Revelstoke she accompanied her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMahon who continued on to Radium Hot Springs where Mrs. McMahon will receive treatment, after having spent a holiday with G. E. McMahon and J. McMahon of Enderby.

Mrs. Parker Heskitt accompanied by her two children, Elizabeth and Angela, arrived on Friday morning from their home at New Westminster to spend a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Peel. While in town Mrs. Heskitt visited with many of her former friends, with her home here a few ago until the outbreak of the war. On Saturday evening Capt. Heskitt arrived from Vernon to spend the week-end with his wife and family in Enderby. On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. LaForge drove to Vernon accompanied by Mrs. Heskitt and the children who will spend a holiday at Okanagan Lake.

Miss Betty Young of Kelowna who has been spending a week's holiday visiting with her sister, Mrs. George Rands, Jr., at their home at Ashton Creek, left on Sunday for Sicamous where she will visit with her sister Mrs. Alvin Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Graystone of Salmon Arm drove to Enderby on Wednesday to spend a short visit at the home of Mrs. Graystone's father, Mayor C. Hawkins.

Poles Are Hauled

Truck drivers are busy hauling very large loads of fine poles to town and various shipping centres recently, doing their utmost to bring in as large a supply as they are able before the wet weather makes the roads into the mountain limits impassable. A good deal of timber cutting has been done in the various camps in the Hidden Lake and Mabel Lake limits this year in answer to the exceedingly large demands from various outside centres.

Miss Evelyn Lindsay left this week-end for Tranquille where she has obtained employment in the Tranquille Sanatorium.

An R.A.F. station in Southeast England has completed a record "Wings-for-Victory" week, reaching 115,139 (\$511,217.16), although the target was only \$3,000 (\$13,320). The R.A.F. boys not only save the day for us but use their pay to buy more "Wings-for-Victory".

Do Not Throw Away Ration Book No. 3

When you apply for ration book No. 3, towards the end of August, do not throw away your old book, No. 2, advises Board.

Book No. 2 contains Spare A coupons for meat, and meat coupons in the new book will not become effective until November 23.

Provision has been made in rural areas for an adult to bring his neighbor's book to the nearest distributing centre, but the card in book No. 2 must be properly filled in by its respective owner, and not detached.

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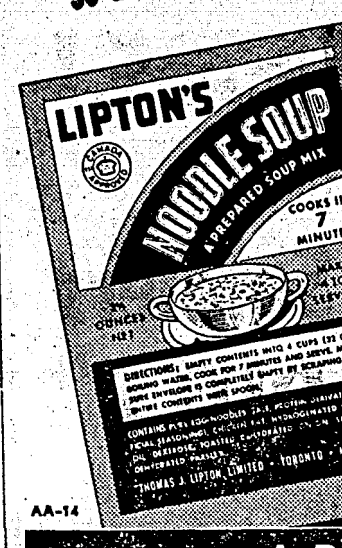
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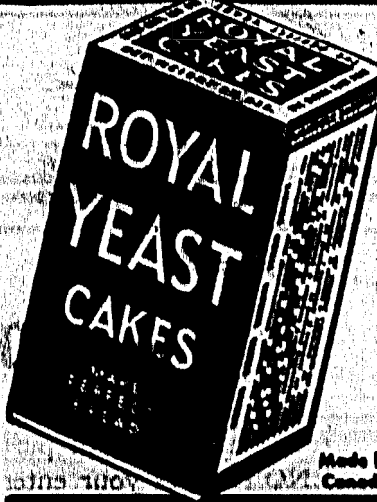
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B.C. Grown Seed Plays Important War-Time Role

Rotarians Hear Talk at Luncheon by Dept. of Agriculture Representative

Members of the Vernon Rotary Club have been given an insight into the seed production industry in Canada. Their guest speaker at Monday's regular weekly luncheon meeting was Gordon Stewart, representative of the Seed Production Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Stewart emphasized the importance of seed production to the full-fed requirements for the United Nations in this war, and in tracing through the history of seed production in Canada bore out the fact that B.C. was the leading province in this industry and in turn this district and the Grand Forks area were outstanding with in the province.

Interest Lacking Late 30's
He said that before the last war seed production in the Dominion was very low and that importation from Europe and the U.S.A. was necessary. "In 1917 we started to work on the problem," he declared, "and were able to get a few growers interested in the industry."

However, he said that up until 1937 the growers on the whole would not become interested in the production of seed, as that year's output value in B.C. did not exceed \$50,000.

He emphasized that no country can produce better seed than Canada, and that the vegetable seed output of the Dominion is not surpassed in quality; also that the system of regulating sales of seed in the Dominion is better than in any other country.

In the Department's efforts to extend seed production the committee were induced to give more attention to that line. He mentioned the Canadian Seed Growers' Association and that grains and other seeds were properly distributed in growing districts.

Giving his audience an idea of how production expanded he stated that last year \$2,000,000 worth of seed was grown.

"The high quality of Canadian seed was maintained, and the market expanded which we hope to hold after the war," declared Mr. Stewart.

After the government made surveys of the seed production in Canada and found it to be inadequate to meet its own needs, efforts to boost production were carried out and in three years the growers' output was sold at more than was originally guaranteed.

"By last spring the expansion was so great that it was decided to seed production, the full Dominion responsibility."

On mentioning the important hook-up the valley and Grand Forks districts have with this expansion, Mr. Stewart acclaimed the work that has been done by W. H. Baumbrough, President of the B.C. Seed Growers' Association and J. T. Muttie, prominent onion seed producer, both of Vernon.

B.C. Production Highest
Mr. Stewart then brought out the importance of seed production to this province in stating that \$7,000,000 worth of vegetables were sold for retail consumption in Ontario one year; 80 percent of the seed used to grow the vegetables being produced in this province. "The production of this province exceeds that of the rest of the provinces in the Dominion and will continue to do so if the high quality is maintained," declared the speaker.

Speaking further on the expansion of seed production in Canada he declared that much of the output of this country is now going to the United Kingdom while before the war large amounts were imported.

Assures British Supply
As a result of the growers' action the British Ministry of Foods a year ago ruled that all future purchases from private companies in Canada would cease and consequently the Department is now assuring that the seed requirements. This is done through the Lease-Lend Agreement with the British Ministry of Agriculture, the United Nations Food Board which have offices established in Washington, where the Canadian Director sits in the meetings and where the supply is divided accordingly.

When speaking of B.C. as the leading seed producing province, Mr. Stewart mentioned the co-operation given by Dr. K. O. MacDonald, Provincial Minister of Agriculture.

In closing Mr. Stewart told a story that emphatically exemplifies the important part that seed, output will take after this war. He told of the British occupation of Morocco where the French had stripped the land of all food before evacuating. To assist the food shortage a freighter loaded with seed potatoes was diverted to that country, but the starving people were in such